

Daniel Vassar

Wetloway court 3rd Sept. 1806

This report being returned is ordered to be recorded

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Daniel Vassar

October Court 1806

In the name of god amen, I John F. Newman of the County of Wetloway, being
sick of body, but of a sound disposing mind, do make and enact this my last
will and Testament in manner and form following. Wt. Imp. 1806. It is
my will and desire that all my just debts should be paid, by first disposing of
my crops on hand when finished, and then my stock and other personal estate
to my negroes, and if that should prove insufficient, together with the land, which
I suppose is due to me from the estate of Wm. P. P. P. for my services as administrator, then
it is my will that my negroes should be hired out, until the whole of my debts are
paid. I desire my creditors will be temperate enough to wait that until then they
can sell many of them must be sold as will make up the deficiency. I desire
that my desire that my wife should have the use of the whole estate of my land
after paying my debts and my children and my wife and my children

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to enable her to support them in their minority, and when any of my said
 children to wit, Elizabeth, Lawrence, Phila. Tracy or Eliza Newman,
 shall arrive to the age of twenty one years or more, then it is my Will and
 desire that all my negroes except Charles, Henry & Anthony, be divided into
 as many lots as there are children, and the Child entitled to her share to draw
 for her lot, the widow to return in common stock, until she marries entitled
 to her share, and then to be divided in the same way, until they are all
 disposed of except the above named Charles, Henry & Anthony, which
 three negroes & the income of the female, I leave to my loving wife
 Prudence, during her natural life, and at her death to be equally
 divided between my said three children, or the survivors or representatives of
 them all which I give to them and their heirs forever, And lastly, I do hereby
 appoint my friend Princess Wills, who is known to this my last Will and
 Testament, as my executor and administrator of my Will by the name of
 Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 1st day of July 1805.

day of July 1805

Witness my hand & seal
 Published & declared
 presence of

My said husband, during his natural life, and at his death, to be equally
divided. Between my said three children, or the survivors or representatives of
them all which I give to them and their heirs forever. And lastly, I do hereby
appoint my friend Edmund Mills, sole executor to this my last Will and
Testament, revoking and annulling former Wills by me made. In
Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 12th
day of July 1805.

Proved, Read, Published & declared
to be his last Will in presence of

W^m Mills

Stephen B. Pratt

Joseph B. Bivill

John F. Newman

Following County Court October 9th 1805

This last will and Testament of John F. Newman was offered for proof
was proven by the oath of three witnesses and ordered to be recorded

Francis [Signature] Clerk

And in the same court Edmund Mills appeared and refused to qualify
as executor under the said Will